Plans Formed for Important Enterprise in Fredericksb'g

JUDGE GOOLRICK NAMED

He Will Succeed Judge A. T. Embrey as Commonwealth's Attorney-Report of the Committee on Road Construction in N. C.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., April 29.-At a meeting of the Business Men's Assoclation, held last night, there was a large attendance and much interest shown in the proposed establishment of a new shop factory here, plans for which were laid before the meeting. The subject was referred to a committee to bring in a ful report at a regular meeting to be held in a few days, when, it is understood, favorable action will be taken. The nex factory will employ 100 hands.

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The association endorsed Judge John T. Goolrick for Commonwealth's Attorney, to succeed Hon. A. T. Embrey, who was yesterday elected judge of the Corporation Court, to fill the vacancey caused by the resignation of Judge A. W. Wallace, Judge Embrey will make the appointment, and it is understood that he will name Judge Goolrick.

Mr. Henry Warden and Captain M. B. Rowe, who were sent by the association to Charlotte, N. C., to investigate the yood roads thore and inquire into their lian of work, made an elaborate report, which was ordered printed, and will be liscussed at the next meeting of the association.

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A resolution was adopted cailing upon the representatives in the Legislature for this city to do all in their power to secure the passage of the bills now pending in reference to demurrage charges and the liability of common carriers, A number of new members were elected.

INCREASED REPVENUE.

Three of the present liquor dealers of this city did not apply for new licenses beginning May 1st. One of these firms retired voluntarily, but it is understood that the other two were not willing to pay the new high license. With the increased licenses the revenue from liquor licenses, with the reduced number of dealers, is more than double the amount received from that source last year.

The local option pellion, which has been in circulation here for some time, asking that a local option election be held in this city, has been presented to Judge A. W. Wallace, but as his resignation will take effect soon, he will not act upon the netition, but will refer it to his successor, Judge A. T. Embrey, who will qualify in a few days.

Mrs. V. S. F. Doggett, who suffered a biroke of paralysis this week, is not improved, a.i., her condition is serious.

The condition of Mr. Thomas Ely, who was shot last Priday during an altereation in Stafford county, by Mr, George Harding, is critical, and the wounded man has been brought to the Mary Washington Hospital here for treatment.

Mr. Fred Downing, of Richmond county, who passed through this city, en route to his home, from West Point, N. Y., where he was called to the bedside of his son, who was operated on for appendicitis, states that his son is doing well and is expected to recover.

Raphael Griffin, son of Postmaster John M. Griffin, fell from a wagon and his leg was badly broken just below the hip.

The recent smallpox case in Northumberland cost that county \$35.85, of which life was badly broken just below the hip.

The recent smallpox case in Northum

The telephone lines in Fauquier county have been merged, and a central office will be established at Warrenton.
Surgeon John F. Anderson, of the United States sury, formerly of this city, has been ordered to Great Falls, Montana, to investigate an epidemie of some fatal disease, there, and report to the State Hoard of Health as to what remedy to state

Mr. H. H. Henderson, a prominent young man of this city, has been appointed to a position with the Norfolk and Western Railread at Hagerstown, Md.

Bass fishing with hook and line in the Rappahannock River, just above this city, is said to be the best for years, and many fine specimens are caught each day by appliers.

IN CLAREMONT

Local Option Election Ordered by Judge for May 15th.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CLAREMONT, VA., April 23.—At the April term of the Surry County Court,

DAMAGES FOR FRIGHT

Buckingham Circuit Court Decides an Interesting Point.

Interesting Point.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BUCKINGHAM C. H., VA., April 29.—
A sult has been brought in the Circuit
Court for \$1,000 damages by a citizen of
this county, who attempted to cross on
the ferry at Wingine with his wife and
children. They were carried, it is alleged, some two miles down the river
and taken out at au Amprovised landing,
after suffering greatly from fright. Judge
Leake submitted a demurrer to the plaintim's declaration, stating it as an es-

tablished fact that a person cannot recover damages for having been caused
to suffer mental angulah, where no harm
resulted to his person, and clied a recent
case decided in the Supreme Court, which
involved the non-delivery of a telegram,
Judge Hundley, in overruling the demurrer, said that if no other plea than that
of mental suffering was made he would
allow the demurer, but that he did not
know what other grounds for damages
the plaintiff might endeavor to establish.

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The Democratic County Committee methere Monday and decided to hold primaries. Candidates for county and district offices, and also for the Senate and House of Delegates, will be chosen on the same day, the date to be agreed upon by the chairman of the four counties composing the Senatorial district and the chairman of the Democratic party in Cumberland. Mr. William P. Billis is spoken of as a probable nominee for treasurer of this county.

MAY BE LYNCHED

Tennessee Man Fled to Virginia, but Was Arrested and Returned.

(Special to The Times-Disputch.) GATE CITY, VA., April 29.-William vesterday committed a criminal assault the State line into this county, and was the State line into this county, and was arrested and taken back to Tonnessee, and lodged in jail at Rogersville. Phillips is a young man and married his stepmother. His wife, the mother of the girl, is said to be implicated in the orime. Feelings are running high in this community towards Phillips, and lynching is threatened by the citizens. As no extradition papers were asked for the removal of this fugitive, he was supposed to have waived requisition papers.)

Telephones in Campbell.

(Special to The Times-Disputch.)
LYNCHBURG, VA., April 20. LYNCHBURG, VA., April 29.—The Campbell County Telephone and Development Company has awarded a contract for the construction of a line of telephones from Lynchburg through the entire county and to connect with the telephone system of Charlotte county.

The Board of Supervisors of Campbell will have a bill introduced in the Legislature authorizing the holding of an election in the county to enable the people to decide as to whether or not the county shall issue \$200,000 of bonds for road improvement.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GORDONSVILLE, VA., April 29.—The
local option contest for this district closed
to day in a victory for the wets by a
majority of thirty-nine. The contest was
a very hot one, every inch of the ground
being hard fought.

DAMAGES FOR FALL ON ICY PAVEMENT

C. & O. Makes Special Schedule for the Presbyterian General Assembly.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LEXINGTON, VA., April 29 .- A specia term of the Circuit Court of Rockbridge county will be held here, beginning May Governor Montague has designated Hon. George J. Hundley, judge of the Third Judicial District, to preside. It is thought at this term the court will probheirs of the late Major E. H. Barclay against the town of Lexington for \$10,000 damages, because of his slipping on the icy sidewalk in February, 1902, thereby

causing his death.

The Committee of Arrangements for the Presbyterian General Assembly, which meets here on May 21st, and will continue in session for possibly ten days, has been notified by the authorities of the Chesapeake and Ohlo Railway that the summar schools of the chesapeake and only a contract of the chesapeake of the mer schedule of that road will be adopted about the middle of May, so that com-missioners and visitors to the assembly will have better facilities of reaching and leaving Lexington. This change will be of special advantage to residents of Lynchburg and towns of Eastern Virabout by the influence of a petition from the business and professional men of Lexington and the earnest request of Rev. Dr. J. P. Smith and Rev. Dr. G. B. Strickler and others, of Richmond.

Efforts are being made to get the Bal-timore and Ohio Railroad to provide better accommodations for the assembly, and hopes are entertained that this road also Yesterday afternoon Herbert Bowles,

colored, was drowned in North River, at East Lexington. He was hunting and fishing, and he shot a duck out in the river. He undressed, swam out and got the duck, and on his return he nearly

the duck, and on his return he nearly reached the bank, when he sank and was drowned. His body was soon recovered, His age was about twenty-eight years. He leaves a wife and one child.

Mulberry Hill, a large brick dwelling, and nine acres of land, situated on the western suburb of Lexington, was sold yesterday at public auction to Mr. P. M. Penick for Mrs. Elinor J. J. Cox, of Washington. The price paid was \$3,400. Messrs, W. T. Shields and D. E. Moore were the commissioners, Mrs. Cox is a daughter of the late Rev. Dr. William F. Junkin, of Mount Clair, N. J. He formerly lived in Rockbridge county.

CLAREMONT, VA., April 29.—At the April term of the Surry County Court, held yesterday, Judges Rives ordered a local option election for the town of Claremont, to take place on May 15th.

No saloon liceness were granted by the judge and probably none will be. There was only one application and that from Alex. Summerlin of Spring Grove, I two atturned down by the judge.

Work on Claremont's new canning factory is progressing very satisfactorily. The frame work is completed and the boiler and engine house is under way. The new company is figuring on putting in an electric plant and artificial ice plant in, connection with the cannery.

The officers of the new bank of Claremont are busy looking up a site for the bank building. T. A. Stewart has offered twenty feet off of the end of his big lot which will probably be purchased. Among the society weddings in Claremont this year will be that of Mr. B. Dorrance Kimball to Miss Edna Denerell, which will occur in June next.

P. Denerell, Sr., is busy securing the right of way for the Claremont and Petersburg Railway. He reports buil little opposition as the farmers are anxious to have the road built.

Mr. W. W. Taylor, of Brandon, has announced himself as a candidate for the House of Delegates from Surry and Prince George counties to succeed the present incumbent, Dr. S. R. Barham, Judge Rives has stated positively that he will not be a candidate.

and find out what a really comfortable shave is.

Collapsible Tubes 25 cents at

Barbers and Druggists A. R. Bremer Co., Chicago.

BRIDES OF THE SPRING

Brilliant Marriage Ceremony Yesterday in Luray

ROLLER - REID WEDDING

The Groom the Proprietor of the Hote Crawford, at Salem, and the Bride

a Daughter of the Late Joseph H. Reld.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)
LURAY, VA., April 29.—The Methodist
Episcopal Church of this place was the scens of an unusually brilliant wedding at 5 o'clock this evening, when Mr. Glyn don Purnell Roller, proprietor of Hote Crawford, Salem, Va., and a son of Mr John A. Roller, of Luray, won as his bride Miss Katie Josephine Reid, youngest daughter of the late Joseph H. Reld

of this county.

Miss Louia Reid, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a dress of pink crope with chiffon trimming, and carrying bridesmald roses. The bride was gowned in white silk, with trimmings of lace and veil and carrying a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Mr. Robert Lee McKim, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man. The bridesmalds were Misses Katherine Northcott, Gertrude Hudson, Annie Stover and Nannie Hudson, all wearing white organdie, over green, with white picture hats and all carrying bride's roses. The ushers were Mossis, William S., George were Dr. H. W. Maddox, Dr. H. T. Willis, Mr. H. II. Hudson and Mr. R. T. Morrison. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. William A. Reid, of Washington, D. C., and the ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. H. Joyce, of Luray, presided at the crgan. The church was handsomely decorated with ferns, palms, evergreens, etc., the ceremony being performed under a beautiful arch of apple blossoms. A reception was given the bridal party at the Hotel Lawrence, Luray, last night. Soon after the ceremony the bridal party left on an extended tour, which will include Builtmore, Washington, Oid Point, Norfolk and Richmond, after which they will reside in Salem.

o'clock this morning, Rev. Louis Cabe Shearer, of Newport News, and Misse Daise Virginia Ceit, were married by Rev. Dr. W. J. Young in Court Street Methods Church. The brides and Messers, Edmund and Newton Shearer, of Appomattox. The ushers were Mossrs, William S., George mud and Newton Shearer. The bride was gowned in white crepe de chine over taffet alike mit transport of the chine over taffet alike in traine, trimmed in accordeon planting and slik applique, with long bridal monds. She carried Easter Illies. Rev. Mr. Shearer is a native of Appomattox, County, and a member of the Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He was at one time pastor of Trinity Church, in this city, but is at present pastor of Grace Church, in Newport News. The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. E. L. Bell.

Fraser—Powell.

(Special to The

TILGHMAN-MILLIGAN

The Ceremony Yesterday Afternoon In Christ Episcopal Church, Norfolk.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., April 29.-Mr. Tench r. Tilghman, cashler of the Citizens Bank and Miss Florence Milligan, daughter of Chief Engineer Robert Milligan, U. S. N., were married this afternoon at Christ Episcopal Church. A reception occurred at the home of the bride in the n...yyyard, and tugs left here for the yard at frequent intervals after 1 c'clock for the naval station. The bride and groom went North for a wedding trip. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Carl E. Grammer, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. A. C. Thomson, of Trinity Church, Portsmouth. The attendants were as follows: Ushers—Iredeil Jenkins, Washington Reid, George Hobson, Robert Stocker, U. S. Navy: Frank Willcox, Richard Taylor and Lieutonant Hults, U. S. Navy. The bridesmalds were Miss Mable Murry, Miss Nannie Owens, Miss Florence Brasher, of Annapolis; Miss Edith Tunis, of Norfolk; Miss Eleanor Torry, of Washington; Miss Harriet Jones, of Baltimore. and Miss Florence Milligan, daughter of

DREWRY_CREWS

Married at Belle Grove, in Pittsylvania

COUNTY.
CHATHAM, VA., April 29.—Miss Bessie
Gordon Crews, daughter of Mr. Beverly S. Crews, of Danville, and Dr. David Barnes Drewry, of Drewryville, Va., were married at Belle Grove, the home of Mrs. married at Belle Grove, the home of Mrs.
L. B. Crews, grandmother of the bride,
Wednesday afternoon. Rav. R. E. L.
Ayler, of this place, performed the ceramony. The bride, becomingly attired in
a handsome traveling suit and carrying
a bouquet of white carrations, entered
the beautifully-decorated parlor attended
by her maid of honor, Miss Louse B.

Crows.

The groom entered with his best man, Prof. Wm. Drewry, of Richmond. Miss Helen Crews and Master Crews, of Danville, held back the curtains, Immediately after the ceremony, Dr. and Mrs. Drewry left on the afternoon train for Richmond. They will reside at Dewrywille. ville.

WEBSTER---MORRISON

Beautiful Home Ceremony in Gate Cit Yesterday Afternoon.

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(Escena) to The Times-Dispatch.)

GATE CITY, VA., April 29.—At the bridge home, in Gate City, this afternoon Miss Louise Elizabeth Morison and Mr. J. S. Webster, of Knoxville, Tenn., were married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. John L. Weber, of Winchester, Ky. Mr. Charles M. Kyle, of Knoxville, was best man. The bridesmalds were Misses Lucile Barker, of Bristol; Lucy Quaries, of Richmond; Christian Weber, of Rogersville, Tenn., and Flora Carter, of Gate City.

The bride is the only daughter of the late/fit. S. K. Morison and a niece of ex-Congressman J. B. Richmond, of Gabe City, and of Hon, R. A. Ayers, of Big Stone Gap. Mr. and Mrs. Webster left this afternoon for an extended tour, embracing Mexico, Cuba and Porto Rico. They will reside in Knoxville.

TAYLOE-CRABBE

Beautiful Home Ceremony in Westmoreland Yesterday,

moreland Yeslerday,
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HAGUE, VA., April 20.—Aliss Helen
Gibson Crabbe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Watter Randolph Crabbe, of this place,
was married to Mr. Harry M. Tayloe, a
popular young salesman for Harper &
Co., of Alexandria, whose home is at
Machodoc, Westmoreland county. The
wedding took place yesterday evening in
the parlor of Mr. Crabbe's residence,
Mount Pleasant, The home is one of the
most magnificent in this part of Virginia.
The bride was given away by her father.
Hey. Charles H. Gross, rector of Copie
Parish, this county, officiated.

REILY-HARRISON

Marriage Ceremony in Baltimore of Special Virginia Interest.

BALTIMORE, MD., April 20.—Ah Incportant widding and one of great interest
in Richmond, performed this afternoon
at St. Paul's Projectant Episcopal Church
corner Charles and Saratoga Streets, was
that of Miss Louise Haxali Harrison,

daughtor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Harrison, of this city, to Mr. Georne Wolf Relly, of Harrisburg, Pa. The ceremony was performed by Revs. Blohard Whittingham, a brother of the late Bishop Whittingham, a brother of the late Bishop Whittingham, of Maryland, the ushers being Holling H. and Charles K. Harrison, Jr., brothers of the bride; Frank B. Smith and Dr. John Davis, all of Baitlimore; Charles Rufus Knapp and Colby Mitchell Chester, Tr., of New York; Edward Harris Brewer, of Philadelphia; and Senator John E. Fox, Donald McCormick and Francis J. Hall, of Harrisburg. The bride, gowned in white broaded mousselaine de sole over plaited chiffen and silk, and trimmed with elegant old family lace, wore a small tulte vail. confined with a coronet of pearls. She wife attended by Miss Mary Relly as maid of honor and Louise Syminston and Georgia Bailey as flower girls and was led to the altar by hor father, where she was met by the groom with his best man, Mr. Charles B. McConkey, of Harrisburg.

The bride, who is one of the most beautiful of the younger fashionable set of Baltimore, is a member of the prominent Harrison family of Virginia. Her mother, also a distinguished beauty, was Miss Louise Haxall, only daughter of the late Bolling Haxall, only daughter of the late Bolling Haxall, only daughter of the late Holling Haxall, who was before her marriage was Miss Mary Tripiett.

SHEARER---BELL

Newport News Clergyman Wins a Bride In Lynchburg.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LYNCHBURG, VA., April 29.—At 11:80 o'clock this morning, Rev. Louis Cabe Shearer, of Newport News, and

Fraser—Powell.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MIKENNY, DINWIDDIE COUNTY,
VA. April 29.—The Church of Good Shephord. near this place, was the scene of a beautiful marriage yesterday, when Miss Hattle Clayborne Powell, daughter of Dr. Eugene C. Powell, became the bride of Mr. John Beville Fraser, of this county. The church was beautifully decorated with palms and potted plants, the color scheme being pink and white. The bride was handsomely attired in white India silk, trimmed with embroidered chiffon: voil caught with orange blossoms, and carried bride's roses. The bridesmalds were attired in white organdy, and carried white carnations. The ribbon girls and ring-bearer wore pink, the ring being carried in a calla lily. Mr. and Mrs. Fraser loft on an afternoon train for an extended trip. A reception was given by Dr. and Mrs. Powell at their residence, and dancing was kept up till a late hour.

Jones-Grogan.

Jones-Grogan.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RIDGEWAY, VA., April 29.—A social event of special interest occurred near this place: this afternoon, when Miss Ethel Grogan became the bride of Mr. Thomas King Jones, Rev. Frank Stone, of Stoneville. N. C., uncle of the bride, of Mr. Thomas The marriage was performed at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Barzelle Smith, and only immediate relatives were in attendance. Both are highly connected in this part of the State, the bride being a caughter of the late Louis Grogan, and the groom a son of Mr. George O. Jones, a successful tobacco manufacturer of this place. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left immediately after the ceremony for New York. They will reside in Ridgeway.

Kimbrough-Chick.

Kimbrough—Chick.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BURKEVILLE, VA., April 29.—Miss
Birdie Chick, daughter of Mrs. G. M.,
Chick, of this place, and Mr. R. C. Kimbrough, formerly of Richmond, but now
of Danville, were married to-day.
The bride was attired in a traveling
suit of blue. Mr. and Mrs. Kimbrough
eft on the evening train for a Northern
tour, after which they will return to
Danville, their future home.

Scott_Leltch.

Scott—Leitch.

GORDONSVILLIE, VA., April 29.—
Lieutenant Philip Henshaw Scott, of the revenue cutter service, and Miss Mattle Moore Leitch, were married quietly at noon to-day at the home of the bride's sister, near Frederick's Hall, The ceremony was performy by Rev. M. S. Eagle of the Episcopal Church, assisted by Rev. J. R. Ellis, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, Gordonsville,

Simpson-Martin.

Simpson—Martin.
((Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SWEET HALL, KING WILLIAM
COUNTY, VA., April 29.—Mrs. M. C.
Martin, of Sweet Hall, who recently
moved to West Point, and Mr. Simpson,
of Baltimore, were married at the Baptist
parsonage in West Point Sunday evening,
April 26th, by Rev. J. A. Sullivan. The
marriage was a very quiet one.

Beohm-McInturff.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WOODSTOCK, VA., April 29.—Miss
Bilzabeth V. McInturff, of Strasburg,
daughter of Rev. J. B. McInturff, was
married this morning to Mr. John E.
Boehm, of Roanoke, Va. The wedding
was a quiet one, and was performed at
the home of the bride's father, who officlated. cinted.

Hampton-Thornton.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CASCADE, VA., April 29.—Mr. Wado
Klyce Hampton, of Loaksville, N. C., and
Miss Addyo Thornton, of Cascade, were
married to-day. A specially chartered
train brought a large number of wedding
guests from Leaksville.

Bartlett-Wilson

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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FREDERICKSBURG, VA., April 29.—

Mr. Robert Bartlett, formerly of Orange
county, was married a few days ago to
Miss Alice C. Wilson, at the home of
the latter's parents, at Woodruff, W. Va.,
where Mr. Bartlett is connected with the
Baitimore and Ohio Railroad.

Hart-Major.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STERMONT, VA., April 29.—Miss Mattic Lee Major, of Middlesex, and Mr. B.
F. Hart, of Lockles, were married this
evening at Harmony Grave Church.

Simmons-Coles.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)

BASK BRVILLE, MECKLEN BURG COUNTY, VA., April 29.—Mr. James W. Simmons and Miss Emmis F. Coles were married this morning at the residence of the bride, near North View.

PETERSBURG REAL ESTATE are scheduled for the near future and in-terest is running high.

The new building how being erected by the Chesapeake and Ohlo Raliway Company near the shops is being com-pleted rapidly. Work on the enlargement of the shops is being pushed by Con-tractor Pettijohn, of Lynchburg.

FARMVILLE'S STATION

Handsome New Norfolk and Western

Depot is Opened. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FARMVILLES, VA., April 20.-Farm

ville's new passenger station was thrown

s safe to say that over two-thirds of the towii's population visited the station dur-

telegraphy and ticket department is between the waiting rooms, and is equipped
with all modern conveniences that go tmake a first class ticket office.
The second day's session of the Petersburg Convocation of the Episcopal
Church convened this morning at 1:
o'clock. Rov. H. L. Dorby, of Petersburg, preached an excellent sermon. This
afternoon was spent in a business session of a private nature.

sion of a private nature.

The Farmville Knitting Mills, which have been closed for the past two months,

were sold here yesterday afternoon a public auction. Mr. W. G. Venable pur-chased them for \$4,000. What disposition he will make of the property is not

WAREHOUSES BURNED

Spectacular Fire in Portsmouth Yester-

day Morning. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PORTSMOUTH, VA., April 20.—Fire
this morning destroyed two freight ware-

houses of the Southern Rallway, in Craw-

ford Street, Portsmouth, The blaze was

Like Dead of Winter.

Gloucester W. C. T. U. Convention,

GLOUCESTER COURTHOUSE, VA., April 29.—The largely attended convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union met at Gloucester Courthouse today. Mrs. Newton, State organizer, presided. There are ten unions in the county, and over two hundred members. Gloucester county will vote on the question of local option to-morrow.

No License in King William.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GLOUCESTER COURTHOUSE, V

ed like the dead of winter.

Several Storehouses on Syca more Street Have Been Sold

A NEW HOTEL BUILDING

towis's population visited the station during the day. The first train to stop at the new station came in at 10:40 A. M. The new depot, which is one of the handsomest and best (quipped on the Norfolk and Western road, is built of white select brick. The foundation is of stone, and the wood-work is of the finest workmanship. The building is equipped with electric lights, steam heating appartus, water works, toliet rooms, etc. There are two waiting rooms handsomely furnished, one for ladies and the other for gentlemen, and a baggage room. The telegraphy and ticket department is between the waiting rooms, and is equipped The Plans for the Structure to Be Built at Sycamore and Tabb Streets Are Now in Hands of Contractors. Work Soon to Begin.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, VA., April 29.-Mr. H. P. Stratton has purchased the storehouses on Sycamors Street at present occupied by Messrs Green and Arrington and A. M. Smith, commission merchants. These stores will be thoroughly remed

The store on Sycamore Street, occupie by Mr F. K. Clements, known as "The Palms," has been sold to Mrs. Luiu Barhair Mr. Clements had a lease for several Fears from the former owner,

several Frairs from the former owner, this lease holds under the sale. Plans for the new hotel building to occupy the site at Sycamore and Tabb Streets, in this city, are new in the hands of contractors in Pekersburg, Richmond and Norfolk, Bids are expected to be received within a short time, and it is hoped that work on the building can begin in May, Already considerable has been done toward excavating for the foundation and basement.

foundation and basement. foundation and basement.

People in Petersburg are somewhat interested in the local option election to take place in Dinwiddle county to-morrow, as the Country Club is located in that county, and the sale of whiskey at the club, should the members desire allow whiskey to be sold there, will, don less be regulated by the local option ele Ion result. At the meeting of the directe this afternoon the matter was brough up, but of course, no definite action coul be determined upon, as any action woul be entirely dependent upon the result of

fund. Miss Dunkel, under whose direction the recent "Old Malds: Convention" in

row evening.
Several slik workers who went to Wil liamsport, Pa., with the John N. Stearns silk mills have returned to Petershurson account of the strike at the silk mills The employes demand a week of fifty five hours with sixty hours' pay, The

Mayor W. M. Jones, who has been con-fined to his room for a few days with the grip, is out again.
Five families of Bohemians, numbering

Five families of Bohemians, numbering twenty-seven persons, have arrived to Dinwiddle county, and will settle there. Not a member of any of the families can understand a word of English.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Seaboard Air Line Railway was held at the office of Mr. W. R. McKenney in this city yesterday, but no business of importance was transacted.

Miss Lity Galbraith, of Spartanburg, S. C., has been sightly Miss Margaret Collier, in this city. She left to-day to spend a few weeks in New York, and returning to Petersburg will be the guest of Miss Emily Bartiett Roper.

Five new members were received into

Five new members were received into the Retail Clerks' Association last night. for several days is much beiter, and wa

Many have derived much pleasure from the series of half hour recitate which have been given at noon on Wednesdays at the Southern Female College in this city. The last recital was held to-day.

IN CLIFTON FORGE

Montgomery Presbytery In Session With Large Attendance. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) No License in King William,
(Special to The Times-Dispatch,)
SWEET HALL, KING WILLIAM
COUNTY, VA., April 22,—Tuesday was
County Court day, and a large crowd attended. There was great interest in the
granting of liquor licenses. No license
was granted in the county. Persons applying from West Point have no trouble in
getting license.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CLIFTON FORGE, VA., April 29.—
Montgomery Presbytery convened in the Presbyterian Church here last night with a large attendance. The opening sermon was preached by the retiring moderator, Rev. C. W. McDonald, of Iron Gate. By a manimous vote Rev. R. W. Jopling was elected moderator. Addresses of welcome were made by Revs. J. A. Barker, E. W. McCorkie and F. W. Troy on behalf of the churches of the town.

Twenty-two ministers and seventicen lay delegates were present, and quite a number of ladles from diffrent points within the bounds of the presbytery.

The Y. M. C. A. of this place has organized a base-ball team. Several games

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FAVORITE

PRESCRIPTION CURES

FEMALE WEAKNESS IT MAKES

WEAKWOMEN STRONG

SICK WOMEN

WELL

Operation of the New State Liquor Law in Norfolk-56 Licenses Were Granted.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., April 29 .- The Corpo ration Court was crowded this morning with applicants for licenses to sell liquor. There were about eighty all told, but some of them were doubtful whether or not to apply, until they knew how the most confident and the most influential applicants were to be treated. There was applicants were to be treated. There was a spill and the solution of the fittest, who were to serve as a guide to the doubtful as to what they must do to be saved. Heretofore there has been little or no selection. The old law did not require a careful selection. But under the present law there will be a careful serutiny, by which some of them, against whom complaints have been lodged, may not obtain licenses at all, and others will be deferred until they can give assurances they have not given heretofore.

The new administration, which began its campaign for the re-election of Mayor Riddick last night, at the organization of the new dub in the First Ward, is taking an active interest in the liquor licenses, with the view of securing the city offices again on the liquor issue.

None of the applicants who applied this morning for a liquer thense were applied were opposed. None of the men who have been found guilty of serious violations of the law will be allowed a license, but they will get licenses in other names. The other names cannot be refused, because there were fity-six licenses granted togal as typer. Of these two wers for licial Neddo and Monitcello, five were for ordinaries, and forty-nine were fire relationed and for several days afterwards. These will be more applications to-morrow and for several days afterwards. These will be more applications to-morrow at legst for which there is an objection. a sort of involuntary selection of the fit

WITH DEWEY ON BOARD

Admiral of the Navy to Inspect Fleet Off the Virginia Capes

THE SCAFFOLDING FELL

E. T. Graves and Milton Brock Seriously Injured at Port Norfolk-Five of Schooner Becker's Crew Have Not Been Heard From.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORPOLIC, VA., April 29.-The President's yacht Mayflower, bearing Admiral Dewey, who is to inspect the North Atgrounds off the Virginia capes, arrived from Washington this morning, and passed Cape Henry outward bound to Admiral Dewey is accompanied on the Mayflower by Rear Admiral Barker, who relieves Rear Admiral Higginson as com-

relieves Rear Admiral Higginson as commander of the North Atlantic Squadron after the review by Admiral Dewey.

E. T. Graves, of West Brambleton Avenue, and Milton Brock, of Highland Avenue, Brambleton, were seriously injured this morning by the breaking of a scaffolding at a house on Mount Vernon Avonue, Port Norfolk. The men fell from the second story of the building, a distance of about eighteen feet, and it was thought that Mr. Brock was fatally injured. The men were sent to their homes in Brambleton, where they are resting easy.

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George W. Perry, captain; Peter Gibralter, mate; James McLoughlin, Frank Sabino, Emmanuel Dente and John Gava, of the craw of the ill fated New York dishing schooner J. F. Becker, arrived this rurning from North Carolina and left to night for the North. The other five members of the Becker's craw, who put members of the Becker's craw, who put out in a second life boat after the fishing smack foundered off Bodies Island, N. C., Sunday night, have never been heard from.

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In the Norfolk County Court yesterday Randall Sutton, colored, was tried for arson. The jury rendered a verdict of acquittal. Sutton was charged with setting fire to the dwelling of Charles White, colored, during the night of March 2th last. The occupants of the house were asleep, and they barely escaped with their lives. Ella Sutton, the accused's wife, testified against her husband. She said that when she escaped from the doomed building she saw Sutton ficeing through a field. Ella and her husband have been separated for two years

IN DRY RIVER GAP

ford Street, Pertsmouth. The biaze was one of the most spectacular in many months, in fact since the Seaboard Air Line fire of years ago. One of the structures destroyed was a large frame slied used for freight and the other was a closed warchouse. Both buildings were totally destroyed, nothing but a few charred posts and burning timbers boing left to main the site.

A statistical booklet, showing the industrial exhibit of Portsmouth and suburbs has been issued by the Porsmouth Business Men's Associations. The following is taken from the booklet: Thirty-one industries. \$4.43,000 paid annually for labor. Population, including suburbs, 35,000. Has about \$10,000,000 taxable values, \$200 wage earners steadily employed. Thirty miles of electric street railway. Nearly \$5,000,000 invested in manufacturing plants. In the heart of the oyster producing section of Virginia. Has nine railway systems and ten steamship lines. The largest and the best navy yard in the country. The Central Railway is Pushing Tunnel Through Shenandoah Mountain (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Like Dead of Winter.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CRAB ORCHARD, LIDE COUNTY, VA.,
April 22.—The Interstate Investment Company of Louisville, Ky., which owns 10.000 acres of coal lands here and in Harlan county, Ky., is having some new openings made in their coal veins. Capitalists are still prospecting and buying the coal lands of this section.

The Big Black Mountain top was covered with snow all of last week. I was on top of the mountain last Wednesday and the snow was two inches deep and ice and snow covered the timber. It looked like the dead of winter. HARRISONBURG, VA., April 29 .- The Central Railway of Virginia has secured the condemnation of 206 acres of land in Dry River Gap, and have begun to excavate a tunnel through the Shenandoah Mountain.

Mountain.

It is understood from reliable sources that ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia, is backing the company. In Pendleton county, W. Va., a large corps of surveyors are at work. For roveral months this company has been months the transfer of the real and recently. months this company has been making surveys in the gap, and recently matters took a definite shape. A large force of men started for the gap to-day, and others to secure a suitable content. and others to secure a suitable route from the tunnel to the Alleghany Moun-tain.

FROM DIPHTHERIA

Third Death Near Woodstock and a Strict Quarantine Enforced.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WOODSTOCK, VA., April 29.—The
third death to occur in the quarantined third death to occur in the quarantined district, three miles east of Woodstock, from diphtheria, was that of Waynard Shieman, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shieman, who died this morning, Mr. Shieman's wife and two remaining children are in a critical condition from this disease. Every effort is being made to check the disease in the two families in which it originated, and strict quarantine is being enforced.

Taxes in Mecklenburg.

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Hon. J. A. Bristow Sinking. (Special to The Times-Displayers, STORMONT, MIDDLESEX CO., VA., April 29.-Hon. J. A. Bristow, who had been slok for the past three months, is gradually sinking.

Williamsburg City Council